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RE: United States Patent Application in the Name of Raymond G. Hasley,  
Serial No. 10/609,169, June 27, 2003, Entitled: A BUILDING WITH  
TRIANGULAR FACADES

Dear Sirs:

This letter is to request that you investigate the examination process of my application filed about June 27, 2003. I believe that I have been treated unfairly. While some claims have been allowed, the final rejection by Ms. Chapman of other claims and her reasons not to reconsider my final proposed amendment are believed to be without justification. Without going into all of the details my frustration with her reached a peak when I read Ms. Chapman's reasons for refusing to reconsider my prior request to enter an amendment to overcome her objections.

[1 "The request for reconsideration has been considered but does NOT place the application in condition for allowance because:

[3 . . . 1.) Proposed rejection for the above claims: Johnson (3,965,626) discloses a building construction including the combination of an array of first second and third triangular facades 47, 48, 49 with said second triangular facade 48 jutting from boundaries of each of the first and third facades, 47 and 49 the first facade being disposed in a serial array to project from each opposite side of the second facade 48; one can add as many facades as needed to create the appearance desired."

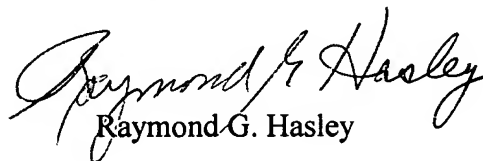
The request for reconsideration was based on the fact that by insertion of the words "perimeter walls" as used in my specification, the amendment would eliminate any possible perceived conflict with the Johnson patent. In fact, the Johnson disclosure, unlike my invention, teaches the adoption and use of beams, etc. to prefabricate the walls of a single, horizontal

segment of a tetrahedral shaped structure. The base and roof are different sized horizontal triangles and all sidewalls are sloped. Johnson teaches that if more space is desired than provided by a single segment to simply add an additional segment or segments one on top the other to construct a multi-storied building. To contend that Johnson anticipates any of my claims is preposterous! See my Figures 1-4 and 7 compared to Johnson's Figures 1-5. The base for my structure is a particular arrangement of three rectangular elements in a particular relationship. The side walls of each element are vertical triangles. The triangular sidewalls are spaced apart by perimeter walls that, like the base are rectangular. Two elements are parallel and one element juts at a right angle from the sidewalls of the other two elements. There are numerous other differences between my invention and the prior art cited by the Examiners.

I believe all of the amended claims should have been allowed because neither Johnson nor any other reference teaches let alone suggests what I have invented.

At age 77 I would like to enjoy the possible benefits of my invention without undue delay and I request your prompt attention to my complaint. I should not have been required to spend more money and waste more time filing an appeal, or a continuation as I have done now Serial No. 11/146,845. If desired or necessary, I will explain in detail what I believe have been other gross errors in the examination process.

Very truly yours,



Raymond G. Hasley

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Enclosures